

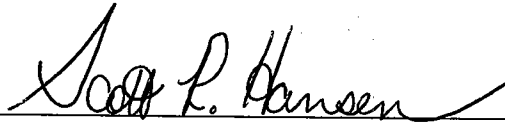
A prompt Notice of Allowance is solicited.

A two-month extension of time to respond is requested. Any fee that is due may be charged to Deposit Account No. 26-2425.

Respectfully submitted,

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